

No news is bad news

Progress was non-existent on the negotiations front on Tuesday, but pressure has been mounting on Premier Kathleen Wynne and Minister of Advanced Education and Skills Development Deb Matthews to get both sides back to the table.

The colleges have said it's too early to talk about tuition refunds for students affected by the strike—despite a 60,000-signature online petition. It should also be noted that students have never lost a semester due to any of the three previous strikes at Ontario colleges.



Pickers walk the line at Niagara's Welland Campus on Monday (above). Ontario colleges may get an F for Fairness, but Susan Pedler gets an A for photobombing April Wharton and Allison Sauve (left). Welland professor John Johnson (below, right) looks happy and surprised that he isn't on renegade captain Pete Voynovich's line.



Sketching the line



Partial-load professor Geoff Farnsworth did some sketching while he was out on the line in Welland. He captured a quick portrait of Engineering professor Neil Walker on some funky texture paper.

Pics, stories from the line?
Students picketing with us?
We need to see and share!

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Dave Banninga, Tyler Stortz, Taryn Walsh, April Wharton, Allison Sauve, Kimberly Costello (from left to right) walk the line at our Woodlawn Road picket in Welland.